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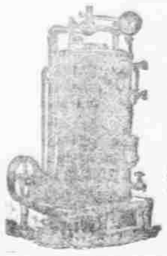

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It is but simple justice to Rutherford B. Hayes, of Fremont, Ohio, to state that he indignantly denies the newspaper report that he is laying pipe to effect his nomination for Congress in the district lately represented by Frank Hurd.

The Rev. Mr. Scott, pastor of the Congregational church, at Evanston, Illinois, has been asked to resign on the ground of neglect of his pastoral duties and lack of interest in the work of the church. From published interviews the specific offenses charged against Mr. Scott appear to be smoking cigars in public and riding a bycicle. Nothing involving his moral character is charged. Mr. Scott demands an investigation and he is likely to get more of it than he wants.

The New Jersey Prohibition Convention which met at Newark last week nominated Gen. Clinton B. Fisk for Governor. The nominee is one of the most eloquent stump speakers in the country and is a much abler man than St. John, the Prohibition candidate for the Presidency two years ago. The Jersey Republicans or rather the anti-liquor portion of the Republican party, did their best to form a coalition with the Prohibitionists on the State ticket, but the latter wouldn't trust them and especially so since the late Republican Legislature defeated a Local Option bill which it was pledged to pass.

It is estimated that within the last four weeks $3,000,000 in wages have been lost to working men throughout the country. Estimated for the last four months the sum is immensely greater, the total loss in various ways being not less than $30,000,000. One item of this is $20,000,000 on building contracts which have been abandoned by reason of the eight hour and other demands, which have mainly failed. To this should be added the constructive and incidental losses resulting from want of confidence and the stand still condition of business for sometime past, the consequences of which workmen have to bear their part.

The Tory press of England is just now pouring out the vials of its wrath upon the devoted head of Mr. Gladstone. One of them, *Vanity Fair* holds him up as "a convicted teller of falsehood; his lies are gross as a mountain, open, palpable." "He has descended to meanness deeper than ever plummet sounded," and much more of the same sort. Gladstone, however, will survive all the assaults of Tory misrepcesentation and malice and will continue to fight the battle in favor of the rights of Ireland until his efforts are at last crowned with success. He may be defeated now, crushed to the earth, but he will rebound to his feet with renewed strength and vigor to resume the conflict.

As an orator John A. Logan is "grand, gloomy and peculiar," as will be seen from the following extract from his eulogy on General Grant at the tomb of the latter in Riverside Park, N. Y., on Monday last:

"A man has lived, who, weighed with the enormous results flowing from his work into the ramifications of the unknown future, was immeasurably greater than Cyrus, above Alexander, greater than Cæsar, supreme over Pompey, Hannibal and Scipio, towering among Charlemagne, the Prince of Orange, Frederick the great, Wellington and Napoleon, and whose name is not to be mentioned in connection with those of Militiades and Sulla. In all authentic history the work of but one individual approaches that of Grant."

"I am at a loss to form an opinion as to what will be the condition of the Democratic party when this Congress adjourns," said that veteran Democrat, Judge Holman, of Indiana, in Washington one day last week. There is no cause for wonder at Judge Holman's inability to discount the outcome of the present Congress. The House contains a majority of over forty Democrats and their constituents have a clear right to demand that the pledges in favor of retrenchment and reform made to the people at Chicago when Cleveland was nominated shall be honestly fulfilled. Mr. Cleveland has always stood prepared to redeem every promise made by his party in the Chicago platform, but unless the House carries out its pledges the President is powerless. It makes no difference that the Senate is Republican. It ought to be forced to take the responsibility of rejecting the legislation by the House to which the Democracy of the country is solemnly committed. Instead of cutting down expenditures the appropriations have been increased, as is abundantly shown by the passage through the House of a reckless and extravagant River and Harbor bill. Time after time the House has been without a quorum, so that men like Judge Holman, Mr. Randall and others, are unable to make a move with any certainty of success. Absenteeism, and therefore no quorum, has been the curse of the present House as it has been of so many former Houses. One day two weeks ago ninety members were absent at the horse races a few miles from Washington, when they ought to have been in their seats earning their salaries, and attending to the business before the House. It only takes one man, Mr. Cleveland, to make a quorum in the White House, and he is always there, working like a dray horse, and always ready to discharge his duties. If the House was only half as intent on performing its duty as the President is in the discharge of his own, Mr. Holman would not have such great cause to complain. Now is the time as the session is drawing to a close, that the worst jobs are likely to be put through, and the Democrats in the House can yet redeem their promises to a very great extent if they will go resolutely to work and de-
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There is no county in the State in which money is so lavishly and corruptly used to control primary elections as in the county of Lancaster. This has been the case in that county year after year and although it has been openly and vigorously denounced as often as it has occurred by the *New Era*, the leading Republican paper of that county, the party bosses continue the debauching practise in open defiance of the plain provisions of the act of Assembly of 1881. It was to cut up by the roots this wholesale corruption at primary elections, that a Lancanster county member of the Legislature drew up and had passed the act above referred to. The Republican primary election in that county took place on last Saturday week, and by common consent it is admitted to have surpassed all the previous ones in the unblushing use of money to corrupt the voters. The Lancaster correspondent of the Philadelphia *Times* avers that a day or two before the primaries took place a messenger from Harrisburg brought to the county a paskage of twenty-five hundred dollars, that the men to whom the money was delivered gave one Jake Strine five hundred dollars thereof to control the vote of the borough of Columbia, in which he lived, in favor of the nomination of Summy for State Senator, the aforesaid Summy being an avowed friend of that guileless Statesman, Matthew S. Quay, for United States Senator, that for some reason Strine went back on the arrangement and subsequently declared that he would return the money to Quay. The Quay candidate, Summy, was defeated by his opponent, Stehman. Who raised this corruption fund of $2,500? Jake Strine evidently understood where it came from when he declared that he would return it to Quay. We have here then M. S. Quay at his old 'game which he knows so well how to play. From his place in the Treasury Department at Harrisburg he attempts to dictate the nomination of a State Senator in Lancaster county who is his friend for United States Senator, and unless all the surroundings are deceptive he sends a round sum of money there to accomplish his purpose. Practical politicians like Quay have an utter contempt for an act of Assembly whose purpose is to prevent the corrupt use of money in carrying a primary election. And yet Quay who manipulated the pardon of his friend Bill Kemble, who was convicted of corrupt solicitation in connection with the Pittsburg riot damage bill, is likely to carry off the prize of the next U. S. Senatorship without a serious struggle. To such base uses have Republican politics in Pennsylvania come at last.

Johann Most, the New York Anarchist, and his two intimate associates and co-workers, Schenck and Braunschweig, were convicted on Friday last of the offence of inciting to riot by the speeches they have been in the habit of making in several halls in that city in defense of their peculiar theories in regard to the right of men to acquire property and to be protected in its peaceable enjoyment. We don't suppose that Most ever did an honest day's work in his life, certainly not since he has been in this country, and presumably not in Germany where he spent the greater portion of his revolutionary career in prison. His notion of liberty of speech is that a man has a perfect right to say anything he pleases without being called to account for it; to preach doctrines which, if once put into practice, would uproot society, destroy all peace and order, make all property common, letting him take who can and letting him keep who is able. He fights under a red flag bearing the inscription, "the possession of property is robbery." He urges his deluded hearers to purchase arms and hold nightly drills in order that they may be prepared to enforce their agrarian demands either by the bullet or at the point of the bayonet. His aim is to create a war, not of words, but a war of blood and rapine on the part of the working men against their employers. That his destructive doctrines will ever find any great foothold in this country of liberty and law is not seriously dreaded. The working man can and will protect his rights through the peaceable exercise of the ballot, an instrumentality unknown to such apostles of Anarchy as Most, whose proper place of domicile is in a prison.

The Chicago Grand Jury on yesterday week returned indictments against August Spies and five other Anarchists for murder in connection with the Haymarket massacre on the night of the 4th of May, when a dynamite bomb was thrown into the ranks of the police killing five of their number. The cases of several other Anarchists are under consideration by the Grand Jury. Quite a number of Anarchists in St. Louis and Milwaukee are under arrest and will be put upon their trial as soon as true bills are found against them. It is absolutely necessary for the peace of the country and the protection of human life that every nest of these scoundrels in the large cities, where the opportunities for disseminating their infamous doctrines are almost unlimited, should be broken up, and that they should be sternly taught that this is a country of liberty and not of license to preach the doctrines of the followers of the the Red flag in Berlin and Paris. It is not such a state of affairs as Thomas Jefferson meant when he said that error of opinion could be tolerated when reason is left free to combat it. Anarchy means the death of the Government and its bloody advocates must be put down by the strong arm of the law.

Respecting the future course of Mr. Gladstone on the Home Rule bill the Philadelphia *Record* of a late date, says: It has been determined that after the Home Rule bill shall have passed its second reading it will be laid aside and reconstructed for presentation in the early part of the autumn session of Parliament. Mr. Gladstone's object undoubtedly is to work up the constituencies during the summer months, so that if an appeal to the country shall be necessary he can return to the House of Commons with a largely increased majority. In this view of the question the Parnellites are said to agree with him; and it is to be hoped that during the interval no contingency shall arise to imperil the succes of the plan.

Soft Soap for the Prohibitionists.

The unabating determination of the Prohibitionists to keep up their separate party and press their favorite issue frightens the Republicans, and they are now at their old trick of pretending a deep and respectful interest in temperance. Moreover, the struggles of the Wets and the Drys, and the successes of the latter in the South, have undoubtedly been carefully considered by the shrewder Republican politicians. They want to go far enough to bamboozle the prohibition element in the party without offending the anti-Prohibitionists or breaking with Republican saloon keepers. This is difficult, but the Republicans are used to it. The walls of the Republican shop are hung with the chastest temperance mottoes, but business is brisk at the bar all the same.

If the Republican party would come out as a party for high license, the prospects of rational temperance legislation would be greatly improved. But the Republicans are merely talking temperance for political effect, and so only that effect need be taken into account. Suppose there should be a general imitation in Republican States of the example of the New Jersey Republican politicians who held a conference this week apparently for the purpose of discounting the effect of the Convention which began the next day, of the Prohibitionists of that State. Suppose in addition that every Republican platform should have more than the usual Republican quota of fair words for temperance reform and denunciation of rum, and should go as far as may be dared toward soothing the Prohibitionists and keeping restive Prohibition Republicans within the fold. What will it all amount to?

The Republicans are very stupid if they do not see that the Prohibitionists are permanently separated from the Republican party, having been deceived by it too often. The Prohibitionist are even more bitter against the Republicans than against the Democrats, for at least there is nothing hypocritical about the attitude of the latter with reference to the question of liquor prohibition. And the bitter attack of the Republicans upon St. John and his Sinjinners in 1884 are yet fresh in the recollection of the Prohibitionists.

We believe the Prohibitionists to be wholly wrong in their theory, and that high license is the correct and rational solution of the liquor question. At the same time it is not to be denied that the Prohibitionists are sensible in expecting nothing from the Republicans, and in seeking to attain their object by means of a separate party. The large prohibition element in the Republican party will some time fairly and squarely make an issue of prohibition, or which for purely political reasons is averse to a separate prohibition party, may still allow itself to be received. The Prohibitionists, however, will go on their way as actively and earnestly as ever, without paying any attention to Republican professions of sympathy with them, and it may chance that in more than one close State the Prohibitionists may be able to have a serious or even decisive effect upon the result of elections. Certainly it is their cue to beat the Republicans rather than the Democrats, for from the latter they can expect nothing, while the former may learn from the repeated cudgelings that the Prohibitionists mean business, and that the Republican party must become prohibitionist in earnest if it wants the prohibition vote.—*N. Y. Sun.*

Religion vs. Anarchy.

Two classes of persons reject religion, besides the very few from whose mental constitution the ideas and emotions of the religious nature are omitted. The majority of those who profess atheism or agnosticism are either the ignorant and degraded or the superficially cultivated and egotistic. The former are ruined by misfortune. The former have had a disolate experience, through which they are hardly able to discern a benevolent Creator or Providence; the latter have come through uninterrupted prosperity and one sided culture to the opinion that there is no mind superior to their own in the universe.

When scholars and "gentlemen" despise religion, they dissent in private, or in club-houses, or, at the most in magazine essays. But the proletariat does not rest content with this mild, negative protest; it makes a positive utterance of its fidelity—assails establishments of worship in blasphemous tirades, takes irreligious sentiments for its mottoes, and attacks the institutions over which the church stands guard. Attention is directed, of late, to the legends inscribed on the banners of Chicago Anarchists; and many are found of the sort represented by this inscription: "We want no God, no religion and no masters." The men who paraded under that banner also march behind the red flag, inveigh against property, are the foes of marriage, plot treason and murder, and put their plans in execution. They do not stop with the civil cavil, the polite sneer, the materialistic argument. It may make no seeming difference to the polished skeptic, smiling at Christian faith over his wine, whether there be an all-wise, all-loving governor of the world. He has little in a worldly way of which to complain; but to the man with whom fate and society have not dealt so indulgently the difference is immense. If there be no benevolent purpose behind the inequalities of social conditions, no power that works for righteousness, that aids the noble endeavor, confounds the evil and rebukes the selfish, why should he bear with an uncomfortable lot or trust moral agencies to make the world more tolerable for him and his posterity? If he be already allied to the baser orders of society, his unbelief keeps him at his original level; if he have not yet descended to the grade of those who hope nothing from this life or the life to come, the despair of his creedless estate usually reduces him to their companionship. Hatred of mankind is the master passion at those depths; alliance in crime is the bond of comradeship. Irreligion may be a private matter when fops or literati profess it; it is a public concern when accepted by the brotherhood of poverty or crime.

Perhaps many who had boasted their insensibility to devout impressions, seeing their doctrines in the horrid glare of nihilistic war, will learn sobriety, and talk in whispers for a while, or admit the practical value of churches and pious convictions. Like worldly-wise old Major Pendennis, they may even attend divine services itself for the influence of their pattern, paying all the deference involved in the doctrine that religion is the mainstay of governments, guardian of public peace and inspirer of the domestic virtues.—*Syracuse N. Y. Standard.*

The Attack on a Crippled Soldier.

The malicious lying done by Senator Ingalls, of Kansas, in his brutal assault on Pension Commissioner Black cannot be excused, while an extenuating circumstance may possibly be passed on the theory that Ingalls was so carried away by pasion and partisan hate that he hardly knew what he was saying; though, of course, such a plea would deprive the the Senator's utterances of all claim to consideration. General Black is a disabled Union soldier who has never failed in his duty in peace or war. In his present position he has been active in defeating the machinations of dishonest pension claimants, and has done much to break up the scandalous practices which brought disgrace upon the Pension Office under the Republican administrations.—*St. Louis Post-Dispatch.*

The General Assembly at Cleveland.

A special meeting of the General Assembly of the Knights of Labor begins in Cleveland to-day. Much of the business for which the meeting has been called is of high importance. Recent experience has shown that the weakest point of the organization is its lack of a proper system of government and discipline. The General Executive Board have too little authority, and even that authority has not been respected. The power to strike and to boycott has been recklessly and foolishly used by some of the district assemblies. If the order is to be useful to its members and to have the support of public opinion, it cannot afford to repeat such performances as the Martin Irons strike. In the last resort that strike was taken up by the General Master Workman, but if the General Executive Board had the power to interfere before, the strike would never have been begun.

Every senseless boycott and unjustifiable strike ordered by a local assembly must in the end be ineffectual, and, moreover, must both diminish the resources of the Knights and create a doubt about them, or a prejudice against them in the public mind. There should be a strong central authority whose decisions should be respected, and offending assemblies should be expelled. The fools and hotheads in the district assemblies, who are always anxious to start a boycott or a strike apparently for the purpose of showing the power of the organization, should be squelched before they get a chance to weaken and disgrace the order. No strike should be ordered except with the sanction of the central authority after investigation, and upon proof that a strike is justifiable and likely to prove successful. As for the boycott, it would probably be wiser for the Knights to leave it alone altogether. At any rate, boycotts should not be begun for trivial causes.

The relations of the Knights of Labor with the trades unions will also be considered at the Cleveland meeting, but changes in the laws of the order in reference to strikes and boycotts and to the enlargement of the powers of the General Executive Board, will be the principal business of the Assembly.—Without a wise and coherent plan of government the Knights cannot expect to get the benefit of their organization; and without such a plan the order, distracted and divided by local quarrels, might fall to pieces because of its numbers.—*N. Y. Sun.*

President Cleveland's Personality.

The President's vetoes are public services which the country will appreciate. The pension vetoes and the message upon the proposal to make Springfield in Massachusetts, an inland city of 40,000 inhabitants, a port of entry, show a careful regard for the details of legislation and for the public welfare, which are characteristic of their author. He does not approve laws because a majority of his friends in Congress may have voted for them, nor tolerate raids upon the Treasury because both parties, for political objects, may have supported them. It is not surprising that the vetoes are exciting great attention in Congress. They are exciting no less attention and great approbation in the country at large.

The President's personal qualities are a force in the present political situation much too important to be overlooked by any sagacious politician. If they do not secure the heatry admiration of the leaders and organs of his party they command the confidence of good citizens in all parties, and that is the ultimate controlling power in politics. The real leader is the man who apprehends correctly that sentiment, and acts accordingly. It is the Democratic party that, returning to power, after a quarter of a century, amid general distrust and apprehension, it has brought into the Presidency a man so plainly bent upon honest government and so strong and corageous as Mr. Cleveland, under whose administration that distrust and vague apprehension of calamities, of tampering with the finances, of favoring confederate objects, of repealing good laws, have disappeared.

This is an immense advantage for the President's party, because it deprives the Republicans of that appeal to fear which was one of the most persuasive arguments in '84, and it relieves distant interests of the apprehension that they would be imperiled by Democratic success. This last is a change which will be probably apparent in the contributions to the Republican party treasury. Every vetoe, is plainly in the interest of the public and not of a party, will deepen and extend this confidence, while old and exhausted party cries and little captious "digs" at his course will avail nothing against the effect of his sturdy integrity and obvious honest purpose.—*Harper's Weekly.*

Why the Irish Like Green.

The early Celts Worshipped the Dawn and the Sunrise. It is more than probable that the Irish preference of the color green, for their flag and their sashes, arose from a mistake among those who had lost a thorough knowledge of the old Irish language. The sun, in Irish, is called by a word pronounced like our word "green," and it is likely that the Irish fondness for that color arose from the word's exact likeness in sound to their word for the sun. In the same way, when we talk about greenhouses, we think they are called so because the plants are kept green in them during winter. Yet it is far more probable that "green," here, is the Irish word meaning, not the color, but the sun; because greenhouses are built so as to catch the sun's rays and store them up while it is hidden by clouds, as happens more than half the time in showery Ireland.—*June Century.*

Unusually large hailstones have fallen in different sections of the country within a month, but it seems none equalled in size those that descended last week during a storm in Harrington, Kan., that is thus described by the Topeka *Capital*. The hail lay two feet thick over a thousand acres in one solid body in the vicinity of the town, and many of the hail stones were as large as the doubled fist of a full grown man. The heavy rain which fell with the hail washed them from the high ground into the valleys in great ridges from four to six feet in height. Every spear of vegetation was completely destroyed, as were also all fruit and shade trees. Every window in Harrington was broken.

—Cholera seems to be lurking in most of the Italian cities on the Mediterranean coast. It has not developed thus far to the proportions attained during the summer and fall of 1884 and 1885, but it must be remembered this is still spring and not the season of the cholera's greatest ravages. Latest advices also report its reappearance at Marseilles, in France, a port with which this country carries on a very extensive traffic. In fact, since the fruit trade of this country with the natives of Southern Europe has reached such vast proportions, only the most rigid enforcement of strict quarantine regulations will protect us from the invasion of this dreaded scourge.

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NEWS AND OTHER NOTINGS.

—General Spinner, whose queer signature used to appear on greenbacks as that of United States Treasurer, is quite ill at Jacksonville, Fla. He is now 85 years old.

—"Quinsy troubled me for twenty years. Since I started using Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, have not had an attack. The Oil cures sore throat at once."—Mrs. Letta Conrad, Standish, Mich.

—Mrs. Mary chute, an lumate of the Elgin county (Ont.) jail, claims to be "the wife of the Lamb and a daughter of God," and has made a vow to starve herself to death. She has only taken Six meals in four weeks.

—A newsboy fell in the streets of New Haven, the other day, and remained insensible for several hours. It was ascertained that it was a case of nicotine poisoning from cigarette smoking, and physicians believe he is stil in a critical condition.

—Ayer's Sarsaparilla is a highly concentrated extract of Sarsaparilla and other blood purifying roots, combined with Iodide of Potassium and Iron. Its control over scrofulous diseases is unequalled by any other medicine.

—A dispatch from Catania says the eruptions of Mount Etna have greatly increased and the destruction of the town of Nicolois now seems inevitable. The entire district is enveloped in darkness and showers of stones are continually falling.

Forest fires are raging at several points in Wisconsin on the line of the Milwaukee, Lake Shore and Western Railway. The village of Coleman was partially destroyed and Westboro had a narrow escape. Unless rains ensue great loss will result.

—Returns from the thirty principal wheat growing counties of California indicate that if there shall be no serious drawbacks during the next month the yield of the State will reach 60,000,000 bushels. A barley crop of 38,000,000 bushels is indicated.

—The Czarina of Russia is a charming woman of domestic tastes, fond of fine dresses and dancing, and holding herself entirely aloof from politics and diplomacy. The one great desire of her life is to marry her eldest son to a daughter of her elder sister, the Princess of Wales.

—I had to comb back the hair from my forehead and omit the parting to conceal my baldness. Since then Parker's Hair Balsam has made my hair as thick and glossy as ever. Ladies whose hair is getting thin will find the Balsam just splendid.—Mary Swanson Chicago.

—A year ago one of a pair of canaries owned by a young woman of Waynesboro, Ga., died, and its mate, an excellent singer, refused to whistle a note. It maintained an unbroken silence for full 12 months, and then the other day began singing, and now is a really remarkable songster.

The House of Lords by a vote of 149 to 127 has rejected the second reading of the bill legalizing marriage with a deceased wife's sister. The Prince of Wales supported the bill. The Duke of Connaught, who was in favor of the bill, paired. Nineteen bishops voted with the majority.

—Armour & Co., of Chicago, have just executed a contract to supply the French government with 7,000,000 pounds of beef in cans, to be put up in the special can adopted for use by the French army. This is stated to be the largest individual contract ever awarded to one firm in the meat packing industry.

—Many suffering people drag themselves about with failing strength, feeling that they are steadily sinking into the grave when by using Parker's Tonic they would find a cure commencing with the first dose, and vitality and strength surely coming back to them.

—Western wind storms are getting personal. A tornado started on George Larned's farm in Washington county, Mo., the other day, and confined its operations entirely to his premises; but before it let up it unroofed the barn and corn crib and blew Mrs. Larned and the children about the place in a most reckless way. None of them were killed.

—At a Mexicun bull fight just across the Rio Grande from Brownsville one of the bulls broke through the enclosure and began climbing up the benches. Women screamed and fainted, men scrambled to get out of the way, and a general fusillade began, every man near enough popping away at the bull, who succumbed with thirty bullets in his body.

—Clark North, a blind man, carries the mail from Claryville, Sullivan county, to Big Indian, Ulster county, N. Y., a distance of 21 miles, three times a week. The road is so rough as to be impassable for vehicles, and the route is accomplished on foot. He has been the mail carrier on this route for 30 years, and has never missed a trip either in summer or winter.

—Mrs. Sutton is postmistress at Somerset, Vt.; she is large, and has fiery red hair, with the peculiarities of temper usually supposed to go therewith. She has planted the postoffice box close to her kitchen stove, and insists on locking the house and going visiting just when she pleases. The people have tried all sorts of ways to expediate the mails, but she insists that two days in the week is enough time to keep the postoffice open.

—A woman (Mrs. Q. W. Howe), who served as a drummer boy, disguised in male attire, in the civil war, rode a horse as a division marshal's aid in the G. A. R. parade in New York, on Decoration Day. It is stated that Mrs. Howe served with pluck and bravery, until she was compelled to retire from the army, after two years' service, upon her sex being discovered through a wound she received at Lookout Mountain.

—A prospector in New Mexico, with the honored name of John Quincy Adams, found his haversack on fire, his prospecto's glass having focussed the sun's rays upon it. As the haversack contained about a dozen pounds of powder, he dropped it and got out of the way in a hurry. It fell into a crevice, and a large mass of rock was thrown up. Adams returned mournfully together up what might be left of his effects, and found an exceedingly rich vein of ore which the explosion had exposed to view. He sold a third interest in his find for $16,000 and very consistently named the mine "The Nick of Time."

—Mrs. Calhoun, 105 years old, lives in the one-room house which her husband built when they were married, two miles from Centerville Highland, in Ulster county, N. Y., and she has never been farther from home than that village, within a mile of which she was born. She has had sixteen children, nearly all of whom are lying in the family graveyard, within a stone's throw of the house. Her sight and hearing are good, she is nimble of foot, and equally so of wit, for aside from a small pension received for her husband's services in the war of 1812, she makes her living by telling fortunes.

—The Red Men, an organization of outlaws which for a half dozen years has flourished in West Virginia, have committed another outrage. The victims are Mr. and Mrs. George Keck, who live on Goss Run, in Ritchie county. Two nights ago they were aroused by a mob which had surrounded their house, and on the door being opened the Red Men took possession, tied Mr. Keck and his wife, took them into the woods near by, tied them to trees, and beat them with hickory withes. They then burned the dwelling and departed. After daylight Mr. Keck succeeded in releasing himself, and after removing his faintiug wife to a place of safety, swore out warrants for such of the mob as he had been able to recognize, and twelve of them have been arrested and placed in jail. Other arrests will be made.

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From Stone in the Kidneys.

It is by no means strange that Dr. David Kennedy, of Rondout, N. Y., should have received the following letter. By reading it you will see in one minute why James Andrews was thankful:

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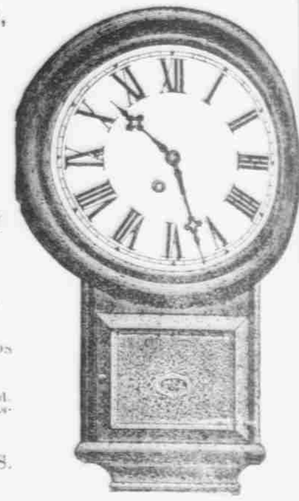

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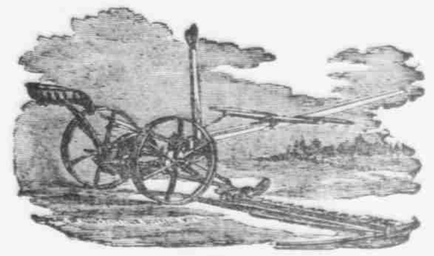

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FRIDAY, JUNE 4, 1886.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

—Hot—the weather.

—Lay away your overcoat.

—Get out your linnen duster.

—Bedford Springs opens on the 11th inst.

—For fresh vegetables go to the Sugar Bowl.

—The Sheriff of Blair county sold out a store in Altoona last week.

—For fine, large, luscious strawberries, go to the Sugar Bowl.

—London Purple and Paris Green for the potato bug at Huntley's.

—Rupture instantly relieved by the use of the celebrated Fry Truss, for sale at Davison's drug store.

—According to the Greensburg *Democrat* rattlesnakes are now killed in Westmoreland county which measure from eleven to fourteen feet.

—Rev. William Kittell, son of Mrs. Margaret Kittell, of this place, has been assigned to the pastorate of the Catholic church at Uniontown, Fayette county.

—The Double Harpoon Hay Forks can be purchased for a trifle at Huntley's hardware store. Go and see them.

—Letters remaining in the Ebensburg postoffice uncalled for: Dr. J. T. Euller, Mr. Chas. A. Pagan, Miss Sadie Thomas.

—Simmons Liver Regulator is a very valuable remedy for dyspepsia, sick headache, torpid liver, constipation, piles and such like diseases. S. W. HOLT, President S. W. B.S. Co. of Ga."

—Dr. T. H. Doyle, who practiced medicine in Carrolltown, this county, about eighteen years ago, was last week elected Mayor of St. Joseph, Missouri, on the Democratic ticket.

—The attention of farmers in want of a mowing machine is called to the advertisement of M. L. Driscoll, of Allegheny township, who offers a fine farm for sale in a good locality in another column. The farm will be sold on reasonable terms.

—By an accident in McCoy's coal mine at Gallitzin on Tuesday evening one miner had an arm broken and a leg so badly injured that amputation was necessary, while his companion had an arm broken.

—Farmers, if you want a first class spring Tooth Harrow cheap, go to Huntley's hardware store and get the "Perry."

—The general manager of the Cambria Iron Co. has issued an order to the effect that hereafter the employees of all the departments of that company's works will be paid every two weeks, instead of monthly as heretofore.

—A lot of "Patent chinaware" just received at the "Old Reliable" hardware store of Geo. Huntley.

—People who raise cabbage are often puzzled to manage to the increase of the cabbage worm. Buckwheat flour is said to be quite death to these worms. It is a simple remedy and worth a trial. Let all who are troubled in cabbage culture remember this and give it a trial.

—The best bar iron at 2½ cents at Huntley's "Old Reliable" hardware store.

—When one sees the impure fats that are sometimes used in soap making he is inclined to doubt the cleansing qualities of the soap. Dreydoppel's Borax Soap is made from the purest refined tallow, and is guaranteed pure and healthful.

—A full line of tablets, paper, pens, pencils and inks at Davison's drug store.

Business in many cases proceeds from a torpid liver and infirmities of the stomach. It can certainly be cured by using Simmons Liver Regulator. Let all who suffer, remember that one dose will relieve, and be prevented by taking a dose as soon as the first symptoms indicate the coming of an attack.

—On Monday last the candidates for the nomination for the different county offices in the approaching Democratic primary election to be held on the 19th of June, met at the Blair House, along with Chairman W. Jones Rose, Esq., and made the preliminary arrangements for holding the primary election.

—For the best flour in the market, go to Schrock & Rose's.

—Backache, pimples in the side, inflation of stomach or the bowels, are symptoms of disordered state of the digestive and assimilative organs, which can be thoroughly corrected by the use of Ayer's Cathartic Pills. As dinner pills, and as aids to digestion, they have no equal. They cure constipation.

—The following excellent remedy is clipped from an exchange: Plant tansy at the roots of your plum trees, or hang branches of the plant on the limbs of your trees, and you will not be annoyed by curculio. An old and successful fruit grower furnishes the above, and says it is the most successful preventative he ever tried.

—The miners at Houtzdale have resumed work and the strike in the Clearfield district is now over. The operators will hereafter pay semi monthly in cash, abolish the store order system and agree to not blacklist miners on account of the strike. This ends a strike that has proved disastrous to both operators and miners.

—On Tuesday last Messrs. John Davis and William Byrne were quarrying stone on the hill near the farm of Mr. Martin Rodkey, about one and a half miles southeast of town, when they came across a large rattlesnake which they killed. The reptile, when measured, scored five feet six inches. It was not a good day for snakes either.

—The Boston ideal Uncle Tom's Cabin Co. will give an exhibition under canvass on the Public Square, on next Tuesday evening, June 8th. The company's exhibition is very highly spoken of by our exchanges, and all who wish to see Uncle Tom's Cabin played as it should be, would do well to attend. Admission, 25 cts; children, 15 cts.

—A Huntingdon man found, on retiring the night last week, that he had a four-foot rattlesnake for a bed fellow. The bed was evidently large enough for the two, and while the man got out at one side of the bed the snake got out at the other and escaped through a hole in the floor. The snake, however, was captured the next day and killed.

—Mr. John Fitzharris, of the Logan House, Hollidaysburg, accompanied by two of his boys, drove up to this place on Sunday last and returned home on Monday morning. John has hosts of friends in Cambria who will be pleased to learn that he is prospering and that his heart has not grown any since he left our mountain town 16 years ago.

—The marriage of President Cleveland, has been the cause of his receiving a great number of letters of congratulation and advice. One of his most trusted advisors has kindly hinted to him that the best place to buy dry goods, dress goods, boots and shoes, groceries and provisions is at the store of John Gruber, on High street, Ebensburg, where he will always get them at bottom prices.

FRESH NEWS EVERY DAY FROM GABLE & CO.

They pay for space in order to call the attention of the many readers of this paper to the numberless bargains in their store (1402 Eleventh avenue, Altoona, Pa..) and everybody should heed what they say, for this space is too valuable for them to use without SAYING SOMETHING. When they tell you they are offering Balbriggan Underwear at 37½c., worth 50c., you had better pay attention; it might save you 25 per cent. on your investments in such goods. This 25 per cent. saved applies to more than Balbriggan Underwear; it applies to every department.

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—James M. Swank, jr., of Johnstown, a member of the Cambria county bar died in Johnstown on Saturday last. Judge Johnson and Attorneys Geo. M. Reade, William H. Seebler, D. E. Dufton, E. G. Korr and M. D. Kittell, drove to Johnstown on Monday last to attend the funeral.

—Mr. Daniel H. Zahm, the fireman on the Ebensburg & Cresson branch, when coming on the noon train on Wednesday last, had his head out of the cab window when passing a car loaded with lumber near the station and was struck on the head by a projecting piece of lumber that was nailed across the loaded car. His nose and face were badly scratched and he was knocked back into the cab, but, we are glad to say, was not seriously injured.

—Geo. M. Riddle, of Philadelphia, is the way the Johnstown *Tribune* notices the arrival of our townsman when he visits that place. If the *Tribune* man happened to be around about election time when the names of the voters in the East ward of Ebensburg are being checked off, he would find that George turns up as a voter every time and sometimes as a candidate, although in a strong Republican ward like that a good, Democrat like George has but little show for election.

—One morning last week a man supposed to be Wm. C. Bush, who shot and killed his brother, Philip P. Bush, week before last in Elk county, was arrested by an officer in pursuit of Bush, in the haymow of Mr. Henry Walters, about three miles west of this place. Mr. Matthews had permitted him to sleep in the barn over night. The officer started back with the prisoner, but we have since learned that he found out afterwards that the man was not Bush, and he was therefore released.

—Mr. Jonas Kaufman, says the Johnstown *Tribune* of Monday, left the city Saturday afternoon for his home near Bens creek riding one stallion and leading another. Upon arriving at his farm he alighted from the animal upon which he was riding to let down the bars of the lane leading to the barn. While fixing the bars one of the stallions attacked Mr. Kaufman and bit him twenty five times, taking a piece out of his cheek and lacerating one of his arms in a shocking manner. It is thought the mutilated arm will have to be amputated.

—Mr. George Faint, the well known artist of Indiana, Pa., has on exhibition in one of the windows of Dibert & Co's bank a life-size crayon portrait of Hon. John Dean, President Judge of the Blair County Courts. Mr. Faint made it to order for the Cambria County Bar Association, who will place it in the Law Library in the Court House at Ebensburg. The likeness is remarkably correct and the execution is also very fine. Mr. Faint expects to do up our own Judge Johnston and Indiana County's ex Judge Blair for the Cambria Bar Association, and neither of the gentlemen need fear that he will not be done full justice.—*Johnstown Tribune.*

Communication.

A party consisting of Mr. and Mrs. John Ferguson, Robert Ferguson and family, of Blacklick township, Samuel Brattler, of Jackson township, and G. W. Huntley, of Ebensburg, visited the old Murray salt well near the dilapidated site of Ritter's furnace in Blacklick township, on Friday last. They passed through the deserted village of Muntown, the locality of which is still marked by heaps of stones which once formed the chimneys of the original dwellings. The water flowing from the well is strongly impregnated with salt and bubbles up constantly. When a six quart bucket with a small hole in the bottom was placed over it and a lighted match held over the hole, a strong, bright flame arose which could be seen at a distance of fifty yards. When the hole was stopped up the bucket in a minute or two would rise up and tip over. When the stop was removed and a lighted match applied, a flame shot up a foot high making a loud report and burned for over an hour before it was extinguished, showing clear ind ications of more or less gas and oil waiting only to be developed. H.

Normal School Notes.

Leech and Bearer's School is booming.

The enrollment is now up to 77 students. Every student from Ebensburg and vicinity is attending their school,

The Book-keeping class numbers 35.

The Latin class numbers 14.

The meetings of the Literary Society are very interesting, the house being crowded every evening.

M. D. Bearer, brother of Prof. T. T. Bearer, a member of last year's Prof. class and a student of their school this term, is President of the Society.

The victors in the spelling contest are, J. J. Murphy, Annie Jones and Elmira Bearer.

Carrolltown Happenings.

This ends another "beautiful May."

May devotions terminated in St. Benedicts church here Monday evening, with the customary and beautiful ceremony and children parade, midst a profusion of flowers,

Mrs. Rodkey, the estimable wife of Mr. Wm. Rodkey, of Cherrytree, died at her home in that place Saturday May 29th, aged about fifty years. Her remains were interred in East Ridge cemetery Clearfield county on Monday.

Decoration day passed without any demonstration other than the assembling in an adjacent grove, of a large number of citizens of this place and vicinity, with the band, when sweet strains of music and song, more eloquent than words, eulogized the nations dead, by the peaceful and enthusiastic enjoyment of that liberty, for the perpetuity of which they fell.

Mr. H. O. Stolz, the popular clothier of this place is closing out his stock preparatory to moving with his family to Renova Clinton county Pa., where, having purchased the Mark Anthony clothing store, he will engage more extensively in the business in the future. Mr. S is one of our most respected enterprising and public spirited business men and it is needless to say that we are sorry to lose him. He is the only remaining charter member of our Cornet Band, organized in 1861, having played with it more than 25 years. We wish him and his respected family abundant success and happiness in their new home.

"CASUAL."

Hemlock Items.

The base ball fever has struck our town, and as a consequence bruised fingers and sprained ankles are more plentiful.

The mumps are epidemic in this vicinity. They attack both old and young, evidently having no respect for age, sex or beauty.

It was announced last week that Miss Agnes McConnell, of Summitville, this county, who had been organist at the Catholic Church here for the past two years, had entered the convent of Carmelite nuns at Louisville, Ky. Many were the expressions of sorrow at the loss to the world of so cultured, talented and amiable young lady as Miss McConnell. But that she has chose wisely, none doubt; for from childhood she had ever evinced a deep religious feeling and her life was a worthy example to her sex. The choir here will miss her, for she was an excellent musician and had few equals as a vocalist. Her place here as organist, however is very acceptably filled by her sister Miss Ella. The hosts of friends which Miss Agnes had made will, however much they regret her loss, join in wishing Heaven's choicest blessings on her in the holy life she has chosen.

A man named Harvey employed at Chas. Lahey's coal works met with a very serious accident on Monday last. He was endeavoring to couple some cars when he was knocked down and falling with one leg across the rail, one of the wheels ran over his thigh badly bruising and lacerating it. Dr. G. W. Grove attended to the wounds, and thinks the bone is not broken. Yet there is considerable danger feared from erysipelas or gangreen.

To-day, Tuesday, our streets have been thronged with idle men; a sight not witnessed for several months. The cause was that notices had been posted up at the various mines yesterday notifying the men that after June 1st, the price for mining coal would be reduced to 35 cents per ton. This morning delegates from Gallitzin, Coalport, South Fork and Lilly met here in Leaghey's Hall and remained in conference with a number of the operators and their representatives most of the day. The outcome of the convention was that the men go to work tomorrow at 35 cts. per ton and at the end of two weeks another meeting will be held. The miners here are unanimous in denouncing the action of the Clearfield miners in going back to work at the old rates. It is claimed that the Clearfield strike was ended by bought treachery, and there are the strongest grounds for believing it. Should another strike occur in that region, the Lilly miners will hardly send hundreds of dollars worth of provisions, as they did during the past two months.

Memorial Day was observed here in a fitting manner by Col. Dick White, Post 513, G. A. R. and citizens. Twenty wagons gaily festooned with flags and evergreens conveyed nearly three hundred people to Summitville where the graves of the dead heroes were literally covered with flowers. The Lilly Cornet Band accompanied the procession and discoursed appropriate music. At Summit the procession was met by the G. A. R. Post of Gallitzin, accompined by the Gallitzin Cornet Band; the latter were dressed in their new uniforms and presented a fine appearance. The people of Summitville and vicinity turned out largely and made a very creditable procession. After the ceremonies attening the decorating of the graves, Col. Jno. P. Linton of Johnstown delivered a brief but touching address which was received with marked attention. Long may these memorial services continue; it is but just to honor the heroes, known and unknown, who sleep beneath the willows and the daisies. C.

I TAKE pleasure in stating that I have known Ely's Cream Balm for more than five years, and have sold it during that time both in Binghampton and Montrose. I consider it the safest and best catarrh remedy in the market.—S. J. Sparkes Druggist, Montrose, Pa.

I suffered for more than ten years with that dreadful disease catarrh, and used every available medicine which was recommended to me. I cannot thank you enough for the relief which your Cream Balm has afforded me.—Emanuel Meyers, Winfield, L. I.

MEMORIAL DAY.

Memorial Day in this place was observed by a general closing of the business houses from one until four, P. M.

The day was fine and at 1 o'clock the procession formed at the Engine house, and headed by the Ebensburg band, marched out to Julian street, and down to High, thence to Centre, and from there to Armory Hall where Hon. Robert L. Johnston delivered an eloquent and feeling address, after which the procession formed into line and took up their march to the Catholic cemetery, where the ceremony of decorating the graves was gone through with. The following named soldiers are buried there: Rev. R. C. Christy, Stephen Chase, James C. Noon, Jeremiah Fagan, James Litzinger, John Lambaugh, Mark Edelblute, Jackson Litzinger, F. P. Tiernay, Thomas Litzinger, Captain James Murray, Andrew Weible, John E. Scanlan, Captain John Porter and William Mills.

The procession next proceeded to the Congregational cemetery where the graves of the soldier dead were decorated as follows: Edward Davis, Thomas O. Evans, Milton Roberts, Richard R. Lewis, David Evans and George Todd.

The procession then marched to Lloyd cemetery where the following named soldiers are taking their rest: George W. Davis, John O. Evans, Wm. R. Humphreys, David H. Evans, Griffith Evans, Charles Heyer, Evan R. Davis, Adam Shinefelt, David Powell, Thomas Todd, Peter Linton, Joseph Henderson, —— Libby, Edward Evans, Hugh Jones, James Roberts, William D. Davis, Daniel T. Jones, Thomas J. Lloyd, Jeremiah Evans, Thomas B. Moore, Benjamin Williams, James A. Littlefield, Thomas R. Evans, David Evans, Samuel Henry, David S. Jones, John Pugh, J. Todd Hutchinson, George K. Sechler, Captain Daniel O. Evans, Benjamin Lloyd and Joseph Pugh.

After the ceremony was concluded the procession returned to the Engine house and disbanded. The weather was all that could have been wished for, and the appropriate ceremonies and respect to our honored dead was witnessed by a large number of people who followed the procession to the different cemeteries.

Memorial Day in Chest Springs.

On Saturday the 29th inst., the citizens of St. Augustine and vicinity, along with the Chaplain R. C. Christy Post, G. A. R., proceeded to the Catholic cemetery adjoining the village, when the committee of young ladies appointed for that purpose decorated with garlands and wreaths of flowers the graves of the following soldiers who are buried there:

War of 1812.—Stanislaus Wharton, John Nagle, Thomas Adams, James Maloney, Thomas Durbin, Wm. McKenzie.

Mexican War.—Cornelius Donahoe.

War of the Rebellion.—Lewis C. McDermitt, Michael McDermitt, Wm. Ryan, John Burgoon, Andrew Callahan, Joseph Cramer, Aug. Wills.

After the decoration services addresses were made by Messrs Hart, Noel and McManus, the Commander of the Post. It was an interesting and impressive scene to witness the tender reverence and respect of the young ladies as they placed wreaths and garlands of flowers over each soldier's grave; and how any citizen could denounce it as a senseless and useless mockery is a mystery beyond my ken. T.

Undigested Food.

In the stomach develops an acid which stings the upper part of the throat and palate, causing "heartburn." It also evolves a gas which produces "wind on the stomach," and a feeling and appearance of distension in that organ after eating. For both this acidity and swelling Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is a much better remedy than alkaline salts, like hartshorn and carbonate of soda. A wineglassful of the Bitters, after or before dinner, will be found to act as a reliable carminative or preventive. This fine specific for dyspepsia, both in its acute and chronic form, also prevents and cures malarial fever, constipation, liver complaint, kidney troubles, nervousness and debility. Persons who observe in themselves a decline of vigor should use this fine tonic without delay.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED.

The following marriage licenses were issued by the Clerk of the Orphans' Court during the week ended Wednesday June 2, 1886:

Geo. W. Schrock and Lillie M. Wilson, South Fork.

Geo. B. Dishong and Mary Ellen Rager, Jackson township.

John F. Reed, Johnstown, and Minnie M. Krouse, East Conemaugh.

Gust Wester and Helma Anderson, Gallitzin.

Joseph O'Neill, Munster township, and Ella Brawley, Summit.

Henry J. Hehe and Annie E. Flisk, Carrolltown.

M. L. Bush, Coopersdale, and Hannah Leidy, Ebensburg.

Charles Byrnes, St. Augustine, and Melinda Bender, Ebensburg.

James McCluskey and Mary McPeak, Johnstown.

An End to Bone Scraping.

Edward Shepherd, of Harrisburg, Ill., says: "Having received so much benefit from Electric Bitters, I feel it my duty to let suffering humanity know it. Have had a running sore on my leg for eight years; my doctors told me I would have to have the bone scraped or the leg amputated. I used, instead, three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and my leg is now sound and well. Electric Bitters are sold at 50 cents a bottle, and Bucklen's Arnica Salve at 25 c. per box by E. James.

Married.

SCHROCK—WILSON—On Thursday, May 27th, 1886, at the Presbyterian parsonage, of this place, by Rev. Robert McCaslin, Mr. George W. Schrock to Miss Lillie M. Wilson, both of South Fork, this county.

BYRNE—RENDER—At the Church of the Holy Name in Ebensburg, on Tuesday June 1st, 1886, by Rev. Thomas Walsh, Mr. James Byrne, of Clearfield township, to Miss Melinda Bender, of Ebensburg.

We congratulate this young couple on their advent into matrimonial life and hope that their future may be prosperous and as free from cares as is possible in this mundane sphere. The groom is one of Clearfield township best young citizens and the bride is the eldest daughter of Mr. Jacob Bender of the Cambria House, Ebensburg, an estimable and accomplished lady who will be a helpmate indeed to her husband in their journey through life.

SCANLAN—SPRITTMATTER—On May 11th, 1886, at Carrolltown, by Rev. Father Edwin, Mr. James C. Scanlan, of Loretto to Miss Pauline Sprittmatter, of Carrolltown.

Being one of the guests on the occasion after satisfying the inner man from a beautiful table we were favored with splendid music by the bridegroom, with the band, and young Jim and his fair bride property and happiness for all time to come. A FRIEND.

The friends formed the bridegroom a fine following present as tokens of friendship: presented to Mr. James C. Scanlan and wife: Lives of the Saints, Augustine Confessions, Augustine Confessions, Mrs. Sprittmatter; one quilted director, Alexander Sprittmatter; 2 books, Peter Sprittmatter; 1 castor, Henry Buck and wife; 1 set silver knives and forks, Mrs. Thomas Noel; 1 set of silver knives and forks, W. J. Buck and wife; 2 flower vases, Peter Hoover; 1 chandelier, Sylvester Sprittmatter; 1 large pie cutter and one cake cutter, Mrs. Andy Sprittmatter; 1 glass butter plate, Miss Lizzie Hite; 2 glass butter plates, Mr. Andy Sprittmatter; 2 large pitchers, Miss Mary Zerr; 1 set knives and forks, Annie Hite; 1 fruit dish, Jenny Barbaret; 1 glass spoon holder, Mrs. Paul Sprittmatter; 3 goblets, Mrs. William Sprittmatter; 3 goblets, Mrs. Wilson Hite; 3 goblets, Mrs. Andy Sprittmatter; 1 glass dish, Miss Georgia Sprittmatter; 1 Rug, Mrs. R. R. Jones; 1 glass dish, Barbara Sprittmatter; 1 glass dish Helena Sprittmatter, 1 set of knives and forks, Mrs. Andy Sprittmatter; 1 glass dish, Miss Lucy Sprittmatter; 1 glass salt cellar, Master Harry Sprittmatter; 1 glass salt cellar, Master Harry Sprittmatter; 1 stand cloth and tooth pick, Mrs. Peter Sprittmatter; 1 set of table cloths, 6 napkins, and 6 towels, A Friend; 1 turkish towel, Mrs. Thomas Noel; 1 table cloth, 2 towels, Mrs. Mary Noel; 1 set of knives and forks, A Friend; 1 turrene dish, Mr. Wm. Hoover; 1 glass goblets with jelly, Miss Ella Scanlan; 1 set of dishes, Mrs. Wm. Kaylor; 1 set of knives and forks, Miss Ella Scanlan; 1 clock, Mrs. Jennie Cramer; 1 table cloth, Miss Harriet Kaylor; 1 large oil cloth, Joseph A. Scanlan; 1 table spread, Mrs. Valentine Bishop; 1 large wedding cake, Sisters of St. Joseph; 2 fine canes, A Friend; 2 towels, Mrs. Benner; 2 towels, Miss Amelia Rennet; 2towels, Mrs. Ed. Eckenrode; 1 lamp, Simon Sprittmatter; 1 handsome album, Mr. Jacob Trinkley.

DIED.

DAVIS—Died at his residence in Cambria township, on Tuesday, June 1st, 1886, Mr. Richard D. Davis, aged about 65 years.

PARRISH—Died at his residence in Cambria township, on Thursday, May 27th, 1886, Mr. Edward Parrish, aged 64 years.

The deceased was born in the village of Munster, on the 18th day of June, 1822 and was in his sixty-fourth year. His father Mr. James Parrish was a blacksmith, and Edward worked with his father and learned the same trade. In 1847 he married Mary Ann O'Hara, daughter of Mr. David O'Hara, dec'd., and a sister of Mr. Samuel and William O'Hara, of Munster township, and shortly afterwards moved to the Summit where he worked at his trade for four years and then moved to Munster, where he now lives, (1882) living throughout the farm where he resided up to the time of his death. He was strictly honest and conscientious in all his dealings, was esteemed and respected by all his neighbors, was a good husband and a kind father, his death is regretted by all acquainted with him. He leaves a wife and six children, four girls, one the wife of Mr. Joe Brown of this place, one the wife of Mr. Charles Murray of Cambria township, one the wife of Zachary Kaylor, of Allegheny township, Charles Tillie who is unmarried and two sons James who is married and resides on the farm adjoining the homestead and Bernard who is unmarried. He also leaves to survive him a widowed mother, Mrs. Nancy Parrish, and two unmarried sisters who reside in Munster township, and a brother Bernard Parrish who resides in Caseyville, California. Peace to his ashes.

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May 28-4t. PITTSBURGH, PA.

LICENSE NOTICE.—The following petition for license has been filed with the Clerk of Quarter Sessions of Cambria county to be presented to said Court on the second Monday of June next: PETER McGOUGH, Portage Twp., Tavern.

H. A. SHOEMAKER, Clerk.
Clerk's Office, May 21, 1886. 3t.

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ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENT of the Borough of Lilly, Cambria county, Pa.

HENRY BOLBY, Collector and St. Commissioner.

To amount of duplicate		$ 844 38
	Cr.	
By tax work on street	$ 99 48	
By amount paid to treasurer	156 95	
By exonerations of Council	13 90	
By Com. on $243.10 at 5 per ct.	12 16	
By work as st. Com. as sunprizes	46 20	
To balance due Henry Bolby		3 40
	$ 347 78	$ 347 78

SIMON CONRAD, Treasurer.

	Dr.	
To amount from last settlement		$ 4 40
To amount received from collector and Burgess		208 53
	Cr.	
By orders paid and cancelled	$ 213 28	
By Com. on $213.28 at 2½ per ct.	5 33	
By Balance in treasury	44 32	
	$ 262 93	$ 262 93

JOHN R. KELLEY, Burgess.

	Dr.	
To amount received from fines and licenses		$ 89 58
By amount paid treasurer	$ 90 58	
To balance due Burgess Kelley		1 00
	$ 90 58	$ 90 58

LIABILITIES.

Obligation to Edward Edwards	$ 100 00
" to Gephart Bender	200 00
" to L. Mcdonald	100 00
" to Caron Leahy	225 00
" to Washington twp.	107 72
Outstanding Orders	9 45
	$ 844 17

ASSETS.

Balance in treasury	$ 44 35	
Amount due from W. F. Moreland	12 90	
" " F. M. George	22 19	
	$ 79 44	
Excess of Liabilities		$ 764 73

We the undersigned auditors of Lilly Borough, have examined the above accounts and find them to be correct to the best of our knowledge.

BLAIR SHOET,
E. J. HUGHES,
H. EDLOE,
} Auditors.

CARON LEAHY, Pres't.
JNO. R. KELLY, Burgess.

—Attest—
J. C. BROWN, Clerk. Lilly, Pa., May 8th, '86.

FARM FOR SALE!

A valuable farm situated in Allegheny township, Cambria county, about five miles from Ebensburg and two and one-half miles from Loretto, adjoining lands of James Kaylor, W. S. Huck, and others containing

ABOUT 100 ACRES,

Having thereon erected a fine BRICK DWELLING HOUSE, large barn and all necessary outbuildings. The farm is in a fine condition, building and fencing good and it will be sold on easy terms. For further particulars call on the undersigned on the premises.

June 4, 1886. M. L. DRISCOLL.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Timothy McAtamney, late of Washington twp., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are notified to make payment without delay, and those having claims against the same will present them, properly authenticated for settlement, to

JOHN McATAMNEY, Executor.

Washington twp., June 4, 1886 6t.

Court Proclamation.

Whereas the Hon. Robert L. Johnston, President of the Court of Common Pleas of the 47th Judicial District consisting of the county of Cambria, and the Hon. John Finnigan and the Hon. Joseph Masser, Associate Judges of Cambria county, having issued their precept bearing date the 7th day of September, 1885, to me directed for holding a court of Oyer and Terminer, General Jail Delivery and Quarter Sessions of the Peace in Ebensburg for the county of Cambria and to commence on the first Monday of June being the 7th day of June, 1886, and to continue two weeks.

Notice is hereby given to the Coroner, Justices of the Peace, Aldermen and Constables of said county of Cambria, that they be then and there in their proper persons at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day with their records, inquisitions, examinations and their own remembrances to do those things which to their offices appertain to be done, and those who are bound in recognizances to prosecute against the persons that are or shall be in the jail of Cambria county, be then and there to prosecute against them as shall be just.

Given under my hand and seal at Ebensburg, the 8th day of May in the year of our Lord 1886, and the one hundred and tenth year of the Independence of the United States.

JOSEPH A. GRAY, Sheriff.

Ebensburg, May 8, 1886.

FOR SALE OR RENT.—The Loretto House, at Loretto, Cambria County, formerly known as the Mrs. J. B. Myers House, one of the oldest and most popular hotels in the village, is offered for sale or rent on easy terms. The house contains a barroom, two sitting rooms, a large dining room and two kitchens, one for summer and one for winter, on the first floor, and on the second floor eleven comfortable rooms on the second floor. It has a large stable and a good garden attached as well as all other conveniences necessary to a country hotel. Terms reasonable. For further information call on or address

Mrs. E. B. McDONALD,
May 28, 1886, tf. Loretto, Pa.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Letters of administration on the estate of Robert Murray, deceased, late of Cambria township, having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make payment without delay, and to those having claims against the same to present them properly autenticated for settlement to

M. E. MITCHELL,
Administrator of Robert Murray, dec'd.
Ebensburg, Pa., April 16, 1886.—6-t.

Ebensburg Fire Insurance Agency

T. W. DICK,

General Insurance Agent,

EBENSBURG, PA.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR ASSEMBLY.

WILLIAM LINTON, of Summit,

Subject to decision of the Democratic Primaries, March 26, 1886.

FOR ASSEMBLY.

I announce myself as a candidate for nomination for the Assembly at the approaching Democratic Primary Election.

JOHN S. RHEY.

Ebensburg, April 9th, 1886.

FOR ASSEMBLY.

I will be a candidate for the nomination for Assembly at the coming Democratic Primary Election.

JOHN E. STRAYER.

Johnstown, April 2, 1886.

FOR ASSEMBLY.

DR. J. C. M'MULLEN,
OF CLEARFIELD TOWNSHIP.

Respectfully submitted to the Democracy of Cambria County.

April 2, 1886.—3.p.

FOR ASSEMBLY.

JAMES KING, of Johnstown,

Subject to the decision of the Democratic Primaries.

May 7th, 1886.

FOR ASSEMBLY.

MICHAEL FITZHARRIS,
OF GALLITZIN,

Subject to decision of the Democratic Primaries April 2, 1886.

FOR ASSEMBLY.

I am a candidate for Assembly. If nominated and elected, I would use my best efforts to carry out the provisions of the Constitution of 1874, and assist in enacting such laws as in my judgment would be beneficial to the people. The support of my friends is respectfully requested.

DANIEL McLAUGHLIN.

May 21, 1886.

FOR REGISTER AND RECORDER.

To the Democracy of Cambria County: I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Register and Recorder, subject to the decision of the next Democratic Primary Election.

CELESTINE J. BLAIR.

Ebensburg, Pa., Feb. 26, 1886.

FOR REGISTER AND RECORDER.

To the Democracy of Cambria County: I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination for the office of Register and Recorder at the ensuing Democratic Primary Election.

THOMAS HOOVER.

Cambria township, March 5, 1886.

FOR REGISTER AND RECORDER.

To the Democratic Voters of Cambria County: I hereby announce that I am a candidate for the nomination for Register and Recorder, to be made at your next Primary Election.

GEORGE C. MILLER.

Conemaugh Borough, March 12, 1886.

FOR REGISTER AND RECORDER.

PETER M'GOUGH,
OF PORTAGE TOWNSHIP,

Subject to Democratic rules.

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

JAMES M. WALTERS,
OF JOHNSTOWN,

Subject to the decision of the Democratic Primary Election. [March 19, 1886.]

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

HARRY G. ROSE,
JOHNSTOWN, PA.

Subject to the decision of Democratic Primaries, March 26, 1886.

FOR PROTHONOTARY,

H. A. SHOEMAKER,

Subject to the Democratic Primary Election. (Ebensburg, March 25, 1886.—t.e.)

FOR PROTHONOTARY,

James C. Darby,

OF CONEMAUGH BOROUGH,

Subject to the decision of the Democratic Primary election.

FOR POOR HOUSE DIRECTOR.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination for Poor House Director, subject to the decision of the Democratic Primary Election.

JACOB SHAFFER.

Allegheny township, April, 4, 1886.

POOR HOUSE DIRECTOR.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination for Poor House Director, subject to the decision of the Democratic Primary Election.

LAGEN SELLON.

Carroll twp., April 9, 1886.

ROBERT EVANS,

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May 21, 4t eo.

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Sheriff's Sales

BY VIRTUE of Sundry Writs of Fieri Facias, alias Fieri Facias and Levari Facias, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Cambria Co. and to me directed, there will be exposed to Public Sale at the Court House in Ebensburg, Pa., on

MONDAY, JUNE 7, 1886, at 1 p. m.,

the following Real Estate, to wit:

All the right, title and interest of Benjamin Beers, of, in and to all that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the township of White, Cambria Co., Pa., bounded on the north and west by land formerly owned by Charles Ranstead, dec'd., on the south and east by land of Adam Eash, containing 10 acres more or less having thereon erected a two-story Log House and Frame Stable, now in the occupancy of Benjamin Beers.

Taken in execution and to be sold at the suit of Perry Troxell.

Also all the right, title and interest of Roland Dixon, of, in and to all that certain piece or parcel of land situate in Reade township, Cambria Co. Pa., described as follows: Commencing at an oak corner and running north 20 perches to a stone pile, thence east 95½ perches to a dog wood, thence

AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.

Currants may have their season much prolonged by heavy mulching.

Blight, which so mysteriously attacks pear trees, is as fatal as ever. Wherever it appears cut away the affected branch of the whole tree, and burn it.

A correspondent of *Farm and Home* says: I have never seen a wart that could not be removed by applying castor oil twice a day for ten or twelve days.

It is vouched for as a fact by *Farm, Field and Stockman* that no person is known to be realizing a profit from carp production; and the same, it says, is true of silk culture.

A Florida correspondent of the *Western Rural* remarks that no village lots advertised in that State at $4 to $10 each are worth more than $1.25 per acre and usually dear at that price.

Fanny Field says, in the *Prairie Farmer*, never put lard and sulphur, or any mixture of grease and sulphur, on young turkeys or chickens, or the young of any animal. It is sure death.

Equine ears are exceptionally acute, and an expert is quoted by the *New Orleans Picayune* as saying that as a certain rule, the louder a man shouts at a horse the less he knows about horses.

Borers are often in trees received from the nursery, and each one should be examined as planted. Wherever sawdust is seen at the base of a young tree, a borer is at work, and must be cut or pulled out.

Professor E. M. Shelton is convinced by several years' successful experiments on the College Farm that altalfa—lucern—is one of the best, if not the very best, of the clovers for the use of Kansas farmers.

In planting trees so late, it is the more important to shorten the branches. Nurserymen send a showy top without regard to the size of the roots; it is safe to cut off at least half of each branch before planting.

Ellwanger & Barry remind their readers that the current season's peaches are always borne on wood of last year's growth, hence it is necessary to induce a good supply of vigorous annual shoots all over the tree.

The trees of a bearing orchard should have the whole ground, but a young orchard may be cropped between the rows, with benefit to the trees. Potatoes or other crops that require manuring and cultivation are the best.

Mrs. Lizzie E. Cotton, notices of whom, paid for, are making their annual appearance in various papers, is again exposed, for benefit of beginners with bees, by authorities who have been long familiar with her methods.

After some years' experience in tobacco growing, with fair success, a *Connecticut Farmer* correspondent concluded that the same work and expense would pay better in raising corn, and he still believes this to be true, where the stalks are utilized.

Persons who begin to raise fruit, whether on a small or a large scale, should avoid those who advertise trees or shrubs "for immediate bearing." We know of no tree or fruit-bearing plant that will, or ought to, bear fruit the same season in which it is planted.

The curculio took Mr. Caywood's plums annually until he began treating his trees with slacked lime after every rain, from the time the fruit set till the pit hardened. He made the same application to his peach trees with excellent results, the fruit being fair and smooth.

The *Rural New Yorker* has found that pieces cut from the seed-end of the potato yielded at the rate of 188 per acre. Pieces from stem-end, with similar conditions of soil and cultivation, yielded at the rate of 164. Seed-end pieces appear above the ground first, but there is little difference in the time of maturity.

An Illinois farmer asked why his cattle would not lie down under the good sheds he built for them, and was told by another that he had similar experience in cold weather until he found that the frozen piles of droppings made straw to uneven—too much like harrow points. After taking care to throw these out each morning the animals became fully appreciative of their dry bed under shelter.

A correspondent of the *Canadian Horticulturist* says he tried several well known remedies for mildew of gooseberries, vainly, and only succeeded in getting the fine fruit after he had dumped a bushel of ashes from the coal stove round a bush, when, finding the result eminently satisfactory, giving a full crop of fine berries, he treated other bushes the same way with equal success.

Manure "makes" very fast in May. All sorts of rubbish raked and scraped from feeding yards, chip dirt, bark, etc, half decayed leaves from fence corners and sod trimmings from roadways and walks, or from around the fruit trees, composted with fresh manure will quickly heat, and the entire mass, after once or twice working over, will be admirable for the late crops of corn, or for top dressing mowing land as soon as the grass is off.

May is the month in which tillage of the surface by the harrow and cultivator tells more to the advantage of the soil and crops than at any other. Weed seeds start quickly and crop after crop may be killed, while the moisture of the soil and the action of fermenting manures and the heat of the sun all contribute to those changes in the soil which augment the supply of plant food, and all these are greatly aided by stirring and mellowing the surface of the ground.

It is a bad policy to pasture the lands devoted to meadows at any season of the year; but it is simply ruinous to allow stock to tramp over them in the Spring and bite off each blade of grass ar fast as it appears above the ground. The tramping of the grass, packs the ground, and the animals eat of the mulching, which is so much needed to retain the moisture and keep the soil mellow. This cannot help injuring the sod and checking the growth of grass.

Clean cane chairs by saturating the cane well with a spong and hot water, using soap if necessary; then put it in the open air or in a good current of air, and as it dries it will tighten and become as firm as when new.

A Battle with an Eagle.

The well-known young farmer Albert Williams, of Savannah, in this county, had a hand-to-hand combat with an eagle in a field at his farm last Monday, the particulars of which have since been the subject of much discussion in that part of Wayne county. Mr. Williams was ploughing and heard a rustling of wings in a thicket a short distance away. He left his plough and, going to the spot, was struck dumb with amazement at finding a hugh bird on the ground. He could scarcely believe he was not dreaming. At that instant the bird rose in flight and he recognized it as an eagle of unusual proportions. The bird started for the woods a short distance away, but one of its wings being disabled it could not fly readily. Mr. Williams ran after the bird as fast as possible. Suddenly the eagle lighted upon the ground, and the farmer thoughtlessly ran up and attempted to seize it about the neck. In an instant the bird attacked him, fastening its great beak upon Mr. William's leg, at the same time grasping the lower part of the leg with its talons. The eagle's beak cut through the man's pantaloons and sank deep into the flesh of his leg. The farmer grasped the bird with his full strength, but was unable to remove the beak or the talons. Blows with the hands were of no avail. Finally Mr. Williams managed to drag along to a pile of rails a few feet away, and seizing a club dealt some heavy blows upon the eagle's head. When the bird loosened its hold and fell bruised and stunned with the farmer's blows at his feet. The eagle measured from tip to tip of its wings 7 feet 9 inches. Its head and talons were very large. Mr. Williams's wounds were dressed and will soon heal, but they are quite severe.

Uses of the Lemon.

The London *Lancet*, remarking on the value of lemon juice, of which many are wholly ignorant, offers several suggestions as to the number of uses to which it may be put:

A piece of lemon bound upon a corn may cure it in a few days; it should be renewed night and morning. A free use of lemon juice and sugar will always relieve a cough.

Most people feel poorly in the spring, but if they would eat a lemon before breakfast every day for a week, with or without sugar, as they like, they would often find it better than any medicine.

Lemon juice used according to this receipt will sometimes cure consumption: Put a dozen lemons into cold water and slowly bring to a boil; boil slowly until the lemons are soft, but not too soft, then squeeze until all the juice is extracted, and sugar to your taste and drink.

Another use of lemons is for a refreshing drink in summer, or in sickness at any time. Prepare as directed above and add water and sugar.

But in order to have this keep well, after boiling the lemons, squeeze them and strain carefully; then to every half pint of juice add one pound of loaf or crushed sugar, boil and stir a few minutes more until the sugar is dissolved; skim carefully and bottle.

You will get more juice from the lemons by boiling them, and the preparation keeps better.

Monkeys in Defense of Their Kind.

A cowardly little Capuchin monkey will charge a bulldog to rescue a shrieking comrade. Shooting a Rhesus monkey never fails to awaken the anathemas of his fellow-apes; they follow the murderer for miles with indignant shrieks and all sorts of pantomimes, suggestive of reprisal. "In the dedles of Sidi Belbez" (Abyssinia,) says Brehm, "we came across a large troop of baboons, crossing the valley ahead of us. Some had already ascended the opposite ridge, and some were still in the valley; the latter were attacked by the dogs, but the old males promptly dashed down the slope, and, with wide open mouths roared so fearfully that the dogs quickly drew back. They were again encouraged to the attack, but by this time the baboons had all reascended the heights, excepting a youngster about six months old, who loudly calling for help, climbed on a block of rock and was surrounded. Then one of the largest males, a true hero, came down again from the mountain, coaxed him, and triumphantly led him away—the dogs being too much astonished to make an attack." To many other species of animals sympathy of that sort is so foreign that they will actually join to massacre a wounded comrade.

The Value of Buttermilk.

Ice cold buttermilk will soon be in season again. A few years ago immense quantities of that cooling and healthful beverage were drank, but for some reason the rage for it died out. Its efficiency in certain diseases became a matter of doubt. A few continued using it as a beverage, but most of them dropped out. Now it ought to be understood first that a fondness for buttermilk has to be cultivated. Few persons are fond of it at the start, therefore comparatively few persevere in the use of it until a relish for it has been acquired. For that reason too, its virtues as a curative agent in kidney diseases, rheumatism, etc., have not been sufficiently tested to form a correct estimate of them. If you desire to derive a benefit from the drinking of buttermilk, it must be partaken of regularly and for a considerable period of time. To drink a pint a day and not repeat the dose for two or three days afterwards, will produce no healthful result. A good-sized tumblerful before each meal, and before retiring, will tell the story.

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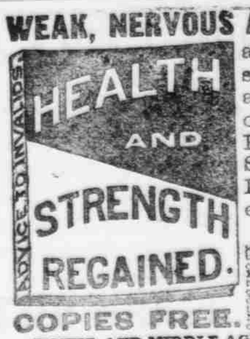

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